News release

Changes to the Met Office web site

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Over the last few months we have been seeking feedback from users of our web site, a large proportion of which were requests for more in depth public weather information. In view of this we are introducing a series of changes. As you will see the home page and some supplementary weather pages now have a new look and content. We will be making further changes over the next few months, particularly to aid navigation and usability, improve presentational aspects and provide better focus on the key services we provide.

- New British Isles satellite area updated hourly
- Radar rainfall animation now updated every half-hour
- Graphical representation of observation data for the last 24 hours for a selection of UK sites
- Surface pressure charts from analysis (T+0) to 60-hour forecast (T+60) in 12-hourly timesteps

If you have any comments please contact our Customer Centre.

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